UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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JOVAN CAMPBELL, :

Plaintiff, :

: 22 Civ. 9940 (LGS)

-against-

ORDER

BRITISH ISLES, INC.,

Defendant. :

LORNA G. SCHOFIELD, District Judge:

WHEREAS, the initial pretrial conference in this matter is scheduled for January 25, 2023. On January 16, 2023, the parties filed a joint letter and proposed case management plan.

WHEREAS, no significant issues were raised in the parties' joint letter or proposed case management plan. It is hereby

ORDERED that the January 25, 2023, initial pretrial conference is **cancelled**. If the parties believe that a conference would nevertheless be useful, they should inform the court immediately so the conference can be reinstated. The case management plan and scheduling order will issue in a separate order. The parties' attention is directed to the provisions for periodic status letters, and the need for a pre-motion letter to avoid cancellation of the final conference and setting of a trial date. It is further

ORDERED, regarding settlement discussions, the parties shall meet and confer regarding a mutually agreeable alternative dispute resolution mechanism. By **January 25, 2023**, the parties shall file a joint letter on ECF stating whether they would like a referral to the S.D.N.Y. mediation program or a referral for a settlement conference before Magistrate Judge Wang.

The parties should be aware that the Court does not extend the deadlines for fact and expert discovery absent compelling circumstances.

Dated: January 18, 2023

New York, New York

LORNA G. SCHOFIELD

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE